forth in the Office Action. Filed concurrently with this response is a terminal disclaimer and a Declaration of Dennis L. Endicott.

Amendments to Claims

10.(Twice Amended) The invert fuel emulsion composition of claim 9 wherein said block copolymer is an EO/PO block copolymer having approximately between 20 weight percent ethylene oxide (EO) and an approximate molecular weight of the propylene oxide (PO) block of about 1700.

15.(Twice Amended) The invert fuel emulsion composition of claim 13 wherein said block copolymer is an EO/PO block copolymer having approximately between 20 weight percent ethylene oxide (EO) and an approximate molecular weight of the propylene oxide (PO) block of about 1700.

23. (New Claim) A method for producing a high stability, low emission, invert fuel emulsion composition for a reciprocating engine comprising purified water; hydrocarbon petroleum distillate fuel as the continuous phase of the emulsion, and a surfactant package comprising primary surfactant, block copolymer, and polymeric dispersant, said method comprising the following acts:

blending a flow of additives comprising said surfactant package and a flow of said hydrocarbon petroleum distillate fuel in a first in-line blending station;

blending a flow from said first in-line blending station with a flow of said purified water in a second in–line blending station;

aging the composition from said second in-line blending station in a reservoir; and